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PATENT**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Henrik Ditzel et al.
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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Restriction Requirement mailed September 30, 2002, said period of response being extended from October 30, 2002 to November 30, 2002.

Our check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully submitted,

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